

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Anagnostou et al.

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir/Madam:

Applicants provide the present Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination to address the issues raised in the final Office Action dated January 27, 2006 and the subsequent Advisory Action dated May 3, 2006.

It is not believed that any fee(s) are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that additional fees are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is also hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Applicants authorize that any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this document.